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Kelly Ivy, Sr. Is the Ninth Candidate To File for Greenbelt City Council

Kelly Ivy, Sr. is the ninth candidate to file in the forthcoming Greenbelt City Council election. He joins incumbents Ed Putens, Leta Mach, Judith Davis, Rodney Roberts and Konrad Herling and challengers Emmett Jordan, Silke Pope and Che Sayles.

Ivy is a longtime Greenbelt resident who has demonstrated his commitment to public service through decades of volunteerism and by running two previous City Council campaigns.

Ivy was born in San Angelo, Texas in 1955. When he was five, his father passed away and his mother packed up Kelly and his six brothers and sisters and moved to be near her brother and mother, who were in the Washington area. In 1968, the family moved to Greenbelt. When he was 14, he attended a Valentine's Day dance at Greenbelt Junior High School, where he met and fell in love with his wife, Linda. Four years later, they were married and recently celebrated their 37th wedding anniversary.

It is said that successful people have the ability to develop relationships that last, and three decades later, "I feel very successful," Ivy says. "I believe that a happy, thriving marriage of 37 years speaks volumes as to my ability to communicate, cooperate, listen and have a sense of humor."



Kelly Ivy, Sr.

He and his wife are best friends and were blessed to have four terrific, beautiful children who were raised in Greenbelt. He couldn't be more proud of them. The oldest, Kelly, Jr., a journeyman electrician with the IBEW, is married to Elizabeth and they have three adorable little girls. Jamie is a paramedic in Anne Arundel County. Amanda teaches at St. Jerome's in Hyattsville and the youngest, Emily, is

a paramedic.

His life has been filled with diverse experiences and through that he has gained an extensive view of the world. He has been employed at Amtrak for 34 years where he is Supervisor of Locomotive Power at Union Station. He has been responsible for up to 500 employees and has managed a budget of \$7 million. His commendations include on-time performance and safety. For the past eight years, he has been a member of the Park and Recreation Advisory Board (PRAB). He has volunteered for many Greenbelt organizations: he served as president of Greenbelt Little League, vice president of Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club, baseball and softball commissioner for Boys and Girls Club, vice president of Greenbelt Babe Ruth and vice president of Lakeside Association; he is entertainment chair for the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival. He attends church at St. Hugh's every Sunday and is a proud member of the Fraternal Order of Police.

His style is to listen and learn. Being married for 37 years and raising four children has taught him those two important qualities: find the best solutions available and then call it like he sees it.

Greenbelt's diversity is a great resource and he believes Greenbelt citizens have the answers to some of the vitally important questions and issues. He will sit down and talk to them, ask their opinions, treat them with respect and find out what they think the community needs in order for it to work best for all residents.

(Candidate biographies are prepared by the candidates.)

Greenbelt Co-ops to Hold Events for Co-op Month

by Dorrie Bates

In recognition of National Co-op Month, the Greenbelt Co-operative Alliance will begin a month-long focus on cooperatives by sponsoring a table at the Greenbelt Farmers Market on Sunday, October 4 where people can find information about the cooperative movement in general and Greenbelt's cooperatives specifically. Those stopping by the table will be able to learn about core cooperative principles, get a list of local co-ops and discover how to join the participating organizations.

Several Greenbelt co-ops are planning special events of their own during the month of October. GHI will host a membership picnic on Sunday, October 4 from 1 to 3 p.m. They will also hold a community-wide Open House on Sunday, October 18 from 12:30 to 4 p.m.

The Greenbelt Federal Credit Union will hold a membership drive October 13 through 16, which is also Credit Union Week. New members will receive special promotional items and be entered into a drawing for a \$50 gift card. Refreshments will be served in the Credit Union lobby throughout the week. In addition the Credit Union will sponsor a Shredding Day on October 10, from 9 a.m. to noon when a shredding truck will be behind

the Credit Union from 9 a.m. to noon to shred Greenbelters' personal papers.

The News Review, another Greenbelt cooperative, will hold its annual membership meeting and election on Sunday, October 25.

The Greenbelt Consumer Co-operative, also known as the Co-op, will focus on member education and appreciation throughout the month. There will be a shop healthy food demonstration on October 28 and a new display highlighting Co-operative Principles in the Consumer Corner. A special meat sale in the store will take place on October 7 and Patronage Appreciation Day will be October 28. Information about the upcoming Annual Meeting on Saturday, November 7 will also be available at the store.

Throughout the month visitors to the Greenbelt Library will find a large display on the ground floor highlighting some of Greenbelt's longstanding co-ops with some historical items and memorabilia. There will also be information about the various types of cooperatives and the benefits of cooperative activity.

Dorrie Bates is the chair of Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative Inc. (the Co-op grocery store, which is a member of the Greenbelt Cooperative Alliance).

Candidates Explain Goals In First of Four Questions

In last week's paper we posed four questions to the nine candidates seeking election to the Greenbelt City Council on November 3. The responses were limited to 300 words. The order in which the responses are published was determined by lot. This week we publish their answers to our first question as submitted:

Why do you seek this office and why do you think you are well qualified to be a city councilmember?

Leta Mach

Since moving to Greenbelt in 1974, I have been actively involved in the community. Six years ago, people I respect encouraged me to run for Council. I decided to do so to continue my service to the community.

The work on Council has been rewarding and a lot more time consuming than anticipated. Fortunately, I am retired and able to devote the necessary time to city business. My Council experience has given me a depth of knowledge on city issues as well as our relationships in the county, state and federal arenas. In the challenging years ahead, knowledge and experience will be needed to maintain and protect Greenbelt's quality of life.

I know our issues and opportunities from years of service. I have been nursery school treasurer; PTA President; GHI Audit Committee chair; secretary of the Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative; 50th anniversary Oral History Committee chair; and News Review and Labor Day Festival volunteer.

On Council, I have expanded my knowledge by serving on local and national committees to represent the city including the National League of Cities Human Development Steering Committee and the Maryland Municipal League Communications Committee. At the Washington Council of Governments, I am Maryland Vice Chair of the Metropolitan Washington Air Quality Committee.

I have proven to be alert to opportunities. For example, I brought the KaBoom Playful City program and playground grant money to Greenbelt.

I am knowledgeable about educational issues and cooperatives. I have helped guide the development of Advisory Committee on Education programs that benefit Greenbelt's schools. As former director of communications and cooperative education at the National Cooperative Business Association, I am familiar with cooperative models that could improve our quality of life.

I believe in listening, learning and working hard. I am a graduate of the Academy for Excellence in Local Governance.

Silke Pope

I seek to serve on Council because I feel compelled to address the major issues facing our community. My everyday and past experiences qualify me as a candidate with a broad and varied perspective. It was quite challenging to come to the United States from Europe and basically start all over. But that experience and my work in local schools, I believe, has made me a stronger person and a better candidate.

In my daily interaction with Greenbelt residents from many backgrounds and all neighborhoods, I've had the opportunity to get to know the issues and concerns of a diverse spectrum of neighbors. Universal concerns include a clean and healthy environment, quality schools, safe neighborhoods, and ample community services. Quality of life issues affect us all.

I've dedicated myself to many Greenbelt organizations. I became involved with our local schools, including Springhill Lake Elementary when my child was there. I've helped to lead both the Legion Auxiliary and my homeowners' association as president, St. Hugh as a volunteer, and the Public Safety Advisory Committee as chair for six years. I advocate for our local schools, open spaces, and public safety; and I believe when development is appropriate, it must be managed with care.

As a naturalized citizen, I've voted in every election I could. So I'll work to increase participation and confirm my strong belief: Greenbelt's elections are fair and inclusive. My candidacy is proof.

As a member of the City Council, I will bring additional ideas and a new perspective to issues that Greenbelt is facing right now. I sincerely care about Greenbelt and the people who live here. With your support, I'll be an energetic and committed addition to our City Council. It would be a great honor for me to serve you and this great community.

See **QUESTION ONE**, page 12

Letters to the Editor

Recovering Driver Credits Seat Belt

Recently pictures were published of me upside down in my car (August 27). Unfortunately, I had experienced a seizure and found myself being flipped over in my car. I was not driving at speed but clipped another car which was parked at the curb. I am amazed at the ease with which a car can be overturned. Due to having on my seat belt I have only minor injuries – no broken bones. I take this opportunity to encourage everyone to buckle up. You will possibly save your life.

Pauline Grant

THANKS!

September 18 the Green Ridge House annual picnic was held. Community Director Kimberly Potts did a great job planning the picnic. It was catered by Red Hot & Blue and the food and service were great. There were door prizes raffled off that included books of stamps, rolls of quarters and gift cards to local grocery stores.

We also want to thank Lynnette McGrath, Donna Dant, Mark Cooper, Marty Coyne and June for all their help with setting up, serving drinks, helping residents that needed assistance and cleaning up after the picnic.

Thank you all for a great afternoon that was enjoyed by everyone who attended.

Hazel Parent, President
Green Ridge House
Resident Assn.

Guided Woods Walk Saturday Morning

On Saturday, October 3 from 10 to 11:30 a.m., Joe Murray will lead a Greenbelt woods walk starting from Northway fields.

Murray is a naturalist who studied at the University of Maryland as well as with tracker Tom Brown, Jr. and with any Native American elders he could find. Join Murray to learn about the behavior of animals in the forest, caretaking of the forest, survival techniques and other fascinating information. Murray uses stories from the Native American way of teaching to help participants experience the woods in a new way.

Bring water; a notebook is also suggested. Dress for the woods and potential ticks. The group will meet at Northway extended, near the ball fields.

For more information call Susan Barnett at 301-474-7465.

OLD GREENBELT
THEATRE

WEEK OF OCT. 2

Capitalism:
A Love Story
(R)

Friday

*4:45, 7:30, 9:55

Saturday

*2:15, *4:45, 7:30, 9:55

Sunday

*2:15, *4:45, 7:30

Monday - Thursday

*5, 7:30

*These shows at \$6.00
301-474-9744 • 301-474-9745
129 Centerway
www.pandgtheatres.com

THANKS!

Thank you Greenbelt Library for allowing us to host our new children’s caregivers group at the library on September 24.

About five parents and their children attended and we discussed how we can support each other, such as participating in a clothing swap, a babysitter exchange and scheduled field trips and exercising together. The possibilities are endless! Those who would like to become part of this fellowship are asked to email Li'l Dan at dansquaredfitness@yahoo.com. More get-togethers will be forthcoming.

Li'l Dan Celdran

THANKS!

Thanks to all who donated blood on September 25 at the Greenbelt Community Center. The blood collected at the drive will help the American Red Cross continue its service in the nation’s severe blood shortage. Thanks are given to the Red Cross personnel and volunteers for their service.

The next scheduled blood drive is Friday, November 20 from 12:30 to 6 p.m. at the Greenbelt Community Center.

Call Janet Goldberg at 301-397-2212 to make an appointment if not contacted by the Red Cross.

Janet Goldberg
Recreation Coordinator

Utopia Film Festival Volunteers Needed

Enthusiastic, reliable and friendly volunteers are needed to help at the Utopia Film Festival from October 19 through 25 in Greenbelt.

Volunteering is a unique opportunity to network, gain event planning experience and have fun. Volunteers will receive free movie passes in exchange for their assistance.

For more information or to volunteer email volunteer@utopiafilmfestival.org or call Connie Davis at 301-345-6322.

City to Hold Health Events in October

Depression Screening

October, Depression Screening Month, will be recognized by a number of Greenbelt events. Tuesday, October 6 from 5 to 8 p.m. there will be a free depression screening at the Beltway Plaza Giant Pharmacy, 6000 Greenbelt Road. The Greenbelt Assistance in Living (GAIL) program staff will be present and invites everyone to come for a free mental health assessment for depression, anxiety, post-traumatic stress syndrome and bipolar disorder.

Participants will have a chance to meet with a mental health professional on the spot, receive referral information or to just drop by to pick up information and resources. Screenings are also available in Spanish.

Starting on Thursday, October 1 people can complete a free, anonymous online mental health assessment by visiting www.communitycrisis.org. Scroll to the Programs & Services link at the top of the page, where a drop-down list will appear and click on “Take an Online Mental Health Screening.” In minutes results and referrals to mental health professionals will be available. For more information call 1-800-422-0009.

Health Fairs

Tuesday, October 13 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. is the City of Greenbelt Health Fair at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. Admission is free. Seasonal flu shots will be available and Medicare is accepted. Medicare recipients are asked to bring photo identification and their Medicare card. There is a fee for others.

Free health screenings including bone density, blood pressure, hearing and depression screening will be available.

Thursday, October 15 from noon to 4 p.m. the city’s Health Fair, Part II, will be held at Springhill Lake Elementary School, 6060 Springhill Drive.

Admission is free. Seasonal flu shots will be free to the first 200 adults who register by calling 301-474-1602.



Grin Belt



"Chocolate-covered acorns? Yumm"

On Screen

What Price “Capitalism?”

Michael Moore’s latest foray into our days and ways – “Capitalism: A Love Story” – opens Friday, October 2 at Old Greenbelt Theatre. Twenty years ago he took on General Motors in “Roger & Me”; now the target is attachment to a system that has gone seriously awry and people are paying with lost jobs, homes and savings. With characteristic doggedness, sharp humor and over-the-top outrage, Moore goes into the homes of troubled ordinary people and confronts leaders in Washington, D.C., and Wall Street. Rated R; 120 minutes running time.

– Eli Flam

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DEADLINES: Letters, Articles and ads—10 p.m. Tuesday. Materials for publication may be mailed to address above, deposited in our box in the Co-op grocery store (by 7 p.m. Tuesday) or brought to our office in the Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, during office hours. Mail subscriptions—\$35/year.

Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.
OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., Tuesday 2 - 4, 8 - 10 p.m.



Attention GHI Seniors

Are you over 65 years old? Is your gross household income less than \$60,000 a year? Is your net worth, (excluding your home, qualified retirement savings, and IRAs), less than \$200,000? Then you probably qualify for a Homeowners’ Property Tax Credit.

Come to a meeting at GHI on October 8th at 2:00 p.m.

to find out more and to get help in filling out the required application. Bring a copy of your 2008 Income Tax Form 1040 with you.

The filing deadline to apply for this credit has been extended to November 2, 2009. You may download an application from the Maryland State website www.dat.state.md.us or pick one up at the GHI office on Hamilton Place during working hours. Forms will also be available at the meeting.

Questions? Call Sheri at 301-474-4161 ext.148

Community Events

At the Library

Storytimes

A librarian will read age-appropriate stories.

Tuesday, October 6, 10:30 a.m., Cuddletime for newborns to 17 months old with caregiver, limit 15 babies.

Wednesday, October 7, 10:30 and 11 a.m., Toddlertime for ages 18 to 35 months with caregiver, limit 15 children for each group.

Thursday, October 8, 10:30 a.m., Drop-in Storytime for ages three to five years, limit 20 children.

Caregivers are asked to pick up a free ticket at the Children's Desk.

GHI Notes

Friday, October 2, Offices closed (emergency maintenance available, call 301-474-6011).

Sunday, October 4, 1 to 3 p.m., Annual picnic – GHI Compound

Monday, October 5, 7 p.m., Companion Animal Grief Support Group – GHI Library

Tuesday, October 6, 7:30 p.m., GHI-hosted forum for candidates running for city council – City Council Chambers, Municipal Building

Saturday, October 10, 11 a.m., Pre-purchase orientation – Board Room

Monday, October 12, Office closed for Columbus Day (emergency maintenance available, call 301-474-6011).

Committee and board meetings are open; members are encouraged to attend.

Arts Advisory Board To Meet on Tuesday

The Greenbelt Arts Advisory Board will meet at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, October 6 at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. For more information call 240-542-2057.

News Review Annual Meeting

The Annual Membership Meeting of the Greenbelt News Review will be held at 5:30 p.m. on Sunday, October 25 in the News Review office. All members of the cooperative are invited to attend.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

Oct. 10

Mowatt Methodist Church
40 Ridge Road
5 – 7 p.m.
Adults – \$8
Children 6 – 12 \$6
5 & Under Free
All You Can Eat

Holy Cross Thrift Store

Every Thursday 10 – 4 p.m.

Good, clean clothes for women, men and children!
Shoes, jewelry, books, etc.

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Greenbelt, Md. 301-345-5111

Golden Age Club

by Bunny Fitzgerald

The Golden Agers are home safe and sound from a terrific trip to Mackinaw City and Mackinac Island, Mich. It's hard to say what we enjoyed most . . . beautiful flowers, horse-drawn carriages on the island, good food or all that fudge!

Many thanks to Lori Moran for planning and leading this trip. Bill Souser has some great pictures of the sights we all enjoyed.

Don't forget the Yard Sale/Bake Sale on October 3 on the library lawn. Lots of help is needed to make it a success.

Our speaker Dr. Solomon was unexpectedly detained and could not speak at the last meeting. We hope to reschedule his talk in October.

Ellie Rimar and Shirley Ann Egenreider are on the mend and hope to return to meetings soon.

Investment Club To Meet Oct. 5

On Monday, October 5 from 5 to 6:30 p.m., the Goddard Investment Club (GIC) will meet at the Greenbelt Community Center in the Theatre Rehearsal Room. The club is a group of amateur investors interested in learning about and investing in stocks and is seeking additional members to meet regularly on the second Monday of the month. The October 5 meeting was scheduled early to avoid the Columbus Day holiday.

For details email GoddardInvestmentClub@yahoo.com and include GIC in the subject line.

More Community Events
can be found on
pages 2, 4, 5 and 6.

Greenbriar/Glen Oaks Community

Fall Yard Sale



Saturday, October 3, 2009

9 AM – 2 PM

20 Vendors – Rain or Shine
Refreshments will be sold!

For more information
please contact:
Tiesha Eley – 301-441-1096 ext. 2
Teley.greenbriar@verizon.net

TRU-Greenbelt Meets On Saturday, Oct. 3

Transit Riders United of Greenbelt (TRU-Greenbelt) will hold its next monthly meeting on Saturday, October 3 from 10 a.m. to noon in the Greenbelt Community Church basement meeting room. The group advocates for transit issues and works to foster a sustainable and livable community in Greenbelt.

TRU recently had a second meeting with the City of Greenbelt and Prince George's County planners to discuss local bus routes, an important process that needs residents' input. Everyone is asked to come, express concerns and help strategize for a united front across Greenbelt's neighborhoods and different bus lines.

Limited rides to the meeting are available on a first-come, first-served basis. To request a ride or volunteer one, call Anna Socrates at 301-441-4504 or email annasoc1@verizon.net.

Those who cannot attend the meeting but share TRU-Greenbelt concerns and want to be kept informed of action and future meetings can email their name, email address and other contact information to annasoc1@verizon.net. To join the TRU-Greenbelt listserv and find out how to help, send an email to TRU-Greenbelt-subscribe@yahoogroups.com.

Explore Topic Oct. 9 Is History of Ballet

On Friday, October 9 Explorations Unlimited will host a presentation by John Cahill, "Exploring the History of Ballet." Cahill's presentation will cover a brief history of dance with emphasis on ballet.

Video selections from various ballets will be shown. This is a preview of a seven-week course on ballet offered through the Seasoned Adults Growing Educationally (SAGE) program at the Greenbelt Community Center starting November 25.

Cahill is a graduate of Middlebury College with a B.A. degree in Russian and an M.A. in Russian language and literature from Fordham University, Bronx, N.Y. He teaches language and musical classes in the SAGE program for Prince George's Community College and has taught in similar programs in Montgomery, Howard and Baltimore counties.

Explorations Unlimited is held every Friday from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Greenbelt Community Center. This presentation will be held in the Senior Classroom, Room 114. Everyone is welcome to attend and questions are encouraged.

For information call 301-397-2208 for more information.



NEW DEAL CAFE

Wine Tasting

New Line of Fall Wines

Appetizers & Dessert

Wednesday, October 7

7:00 p.m.

\$45 per person

See Chef Karim

Academy Stadium Theatres

Beltway Plaza Mall
Center Court
301-220-1155

ALL SHOWS BEFORE 5 p.m.
Adults/Seniors: \$6.50
Children: \$6.00

ALL SHOWS BEFORE NOON
ON SATURDAY \$5.00

ALL SHOWS AFTER 5 p.m.
Adults: \$8.50
Students/Military: \$7.50
Children: \$6.00
Seniors: \$6.50

R = ID Required
(!) = No pass, (!!) No pass weekend

Week of OCT. 2

FRI. – SAT.
Fame, PG (!!)

11:40, 2:20, 4:35, 7:30, 10:20
The Informant, R

11:25, 2:05, 4:45, 7:40, 10:15
Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs, PG

11:15, 1:25, 3:30, 5:35, 7:45, 10
Zombieland, R (!)

11:15, 1:25, 3:30, 5:35, 7:45, 10
Pandorum, R (!!)

11:30, 2:20, 4:50, 7:30, 10:15
Surrogates, PG-13 (!!)

12:10, 2:45, 5:35, 8:05, 10:30
Tyler Perry's
"I Can Do Bad all by Myself"
PG-13

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Jennifer's Body, R

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MON. - THUR
Fame, PG

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St. Hugh's Church Presents

5th Annual

Oktoberfest

October 3, 2009 – 3 p.m. Until ?

Join Us For Authentic Food, Drink And Fun

GERMAN STYLE!

* Free Admission *

Red Cabbage, Sauerkraut

Pork Roast, Half Chicken,

Radish Salad, Wurst,

German Beer, Soda and More!

(à la carte)

German Products Available for Purchase



Musik By World Famous PHIL VENTURA

Make Your Own Ice Cream Sundae!

50/50 Raffle - Dessert Table

St. Hugh's Church

135 Crescent Road

Greenbelt, Maryland



EVERYONE WELCOME!


JOIN IN THE CELEBRATION!

SEE YOU THERE!



Greenbelt Arts Center

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Continuing this Weekend

BUS STOP

By William Inge, directed by Randy Barth, produced by Malca GIBLIN

October 2 - October 17

Fridays and Saturdays:

Oct 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17 at 8:00 PM and

Sunday Matinees on Oct 4 and 11 at 2:00PM

Tickets \$15/\$12 students and seniors

Call for reservations at 301.441.8770

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Located underneath the Greenbelt CO-OP

COMING SOON : AUDITIONS - Les Liaisons Dangereuses - October 12 & 13

Rehearsals to Begin For Combined Choir

The Greenbelt Combined Choir will begin rehearsals for their annual holiday performances on Thursday, October 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the Greenbelt Community Church, Crescent and Hillside Roads.

The choir invites singers to join the group, which has been singing in Greenbelt since the early 1970s. No auditions are required. The choir will sing on Thanksgiving Eve and will perform their Christmas concert on Sunday, December 13.

For further information call Director Jean Cook at 301-345-2597.

Upcoming Events At the New Deal Café

Thursday, October 1 from 7 to 9 p.m. is the weekly open microphone session at the New Deal. Best Latin Vocalist Alicia Denney sings on Friday, October 2 from 8 to 11 p.m.

Saturday, October 3 will be a full day, starting with Steve Pollack on the guitar from 1 to 3 p.m., then Bruce Kritt's classical guitar from 3 to 5 p.m., followed by Banjer Dan's rocking banjo from 8 to 11 p.m.

Jim Stimson takes listeners back to the 1500s, playing replica lutes from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sunday, October 4. Stimson plays on the first and fourth Sundays of each month.

Author Readings

On Tuesday, October 6 from 7 to 9 p.m., Greenbelt Writers Group members Marjorie Gray, Peggy Rooney and Marj Donn read from their newly published works, with jazz pianist Ian Dankner entertaining between readings.

On Thursday, October 8 Amy C. Kraft and the Mid-Day Melodies get the New Deal Café music off to an early start from noon to 2 p.m. Evening brings the weekly open microphone session from 7 to 9 p.m.

Next Weekend

Rio Garage brings Bossa Nova back to the Café from 8 to 11 p.m. on Friday, October 9.

October 10 features Bruce Kritt's classical guitar from 4 to 6 p.m. followed by singer Midge from 8 to 11 p.m.

The Middle Sundays Variety Hour plays from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, October 11, followed by Greek dancing from 5 to 8 p.m.

All events are free. For more information call Chef Karim Kmaiha at 301-474-5642 or visit www.newdealcafe.com.



St. George's Blessing of the Animals

On St. Francis' Day,
October 3

at St. George's Episcopal Church at 10 a.m. Rain or shine. All companion animals and their people are invited! Coffee and baked goods for both people and pets will be available for sale starting at 9:00 a.m.

Located at Lanham Severn Rd and Glenn Dale Rds, just south of Route 193.

301-262-3285
www.stgeo.org

Animal Blessing Honors St. Francis

On Saturday, October 3 in honor of St. Francis' Day, the annual Blessing of the Animals will be held at St. George's Episcopal Church in Glenn Dale at 10 a.m. All companion animals and their people are invited. Those grieving the loss of a companion animal are also encouraged to come, as a memorial piece will be included in the Blessing ceremony this year.

Coffee and baked goods for both people and animals will be on sale starting at 9 a.m. Proceeds will be donated to Partnership for Animal Welfare, a local rescue group.

St. George's is located at the intersection of Route 193 and Glenn Dale Road. For more information call 301-262-3285 or visit www.stgeo.org.

Board of Education Holds CIP Meeting

The Prince George's County Board of Education will hold a Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) Budget meeting on Saturday, October 3 at 8 a.m. in the Board Room at the Sasscer Administration Building in Upper Marlboro.

Public comment is encouraged. Anyone interested in speaking must register with the Board of Education Office by 3:30 p.m. on Friday. Immediately following the meeting, the Board of Education will convene in executive session.

For more information call the Board office at 301-952-6115.

Sukkot Services At Mishkan Torah

The Sukkot holiday starts on the evening of Friday, October 2. There will be a vegetarian pot luck supper at Mishkan Torah just at 6:30 p.m. followed by a family service designed mainly for young children at 7:30 p.m. After the service, there will be a kiddush in the sukkah for all who are present.

On Saturday, October 3 services will begin at 9:30 a.m. After services there will be an elaborate kiddush in the sukkah, hosted by Rabbi Cohen and his family.

Sukkot is an eight day holiday. The last day is Simchat Torah. On Erev Simchat Torah, which will be Saturday evening, October 10 services will begin at 7:30 p.m. It will include a short street procession followed by a short block dance in front of the synagogue. After the service there will be Israeli dancing and refreshments for the entire family in the synagogue. Morning services on Sunday, October 11 will begin at 9 a.m.



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Saturday 9:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m.
Daily Mass: 7:15 a.m.
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Pastor: Rev. Walter J. Tappe
Pastoral Associate: Rev. R. Scott Hurd

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Prayer Meeting Sun. 9:45 am



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Sunday 11:00 am Worship Service
Wednesday 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting/Bible Study

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**ROSH HASHANAH** begins Fri. evening Sept. 18
YOM KIPPUR begins Sun. evening Sept. 27

Sukkot begins: Fri., Oct. 2
Dairy pot-luck dinner in the Sukkah Fri. at 6:30 pm
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Fifth Utopia Film Fest
To Be October 19-25

In the world of film festivals, turning five is cause for celebration and Greenbelt’s Utopia Film Festival will mark its milestone birthday with a week-long cinematic extravaganza from Monday, October 19 through Sunday, October 25.

“Achieving the five-year plateau is a solid sign that you’re on the right track,” said Chris Haley, an actor and filmmaker now serving in his fourth year as Utopia’s executive director.

Aiming to entertain, engage and enlighten audiences with quality independent cinema, Utopia, a project of nonprofit Greenbelt Access Television (GATE), also seeks films that tackle humanity’s quest for the perfect utopian existence. Each year it honors with its Utopian Visions Award the work which best expresses that spirit. This year’s winner is “Signs of the Times,” a documentary narrated by Richard Dreyfuss about the surprising origins of baseball hand signals in sign language used by the deaf.

Utopia will open with a free October 19 screening at the New Deal Café of “American Colonies: Collapse of the Bee,” about the mysterious disappearance in recent years of bee populations. This year’s screenings include about 50 documentaries, dramas, comedies, shorts, programs for children, experimental films and animation.

Green Towns

Among this year’s selections are “Green Towns USA: A New Deal,” about how three communities built by the government in the 1930s, including Greenbelt, have adapted to 21st Century America; “Waiting for Hockney,” the true story of a Baltimore artist who spends five years making a portrait of Marilyn Monroe; and “Starship Farragut: For Want of a Nail,” Maryland filmmaker Mark Hildebrand’s homage to the original “Star Trek” TV series.

Screening venues include the P&G Old Greenbelt Theatre, the Greenbelt Arts Center, the Greenbelt Municipal Building, Beltway Plaza Mall’s Academy Stadium Theaters, the New Deal Café and the Greenbelt Branch Library.

There is a fee. Visit www.uto-piafilmfestival.org or call GATE at 301-507-6581 for details.

Menu for Senior
Nutrition Program

The Senior Nutrition “Food and Friendship” program provides lunches for seniors Monday through Friday at the Community Center beginning at noon. Meals need to be reserved by 11 a.m. two days ahead so that enough food is ordered. Call 301-397-2208, ext. 4215.

All meals include bread and margarine, coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for September 28 through October 2 include:

Monday – Orange juice, pulled barbecued chicken on a bun, broccoli slaw, pinto beans, fruit cocktail.

Tuesday – Grape juice, Italian sausage on a bun, green peppers and onions, penne pasta with tomatoes, chopped collards, fruit cocktail.

Wednesday – Creamy broccoli soup, Cuban chicken with sauce, yellow rice, field green salad, cherry cobbler.

Thursday – Cranberry juice, chicken lasagna, garden salad, green beans, pineapple chunks.

Friday – Vegetable soup, turkey salad, cold rice salad, bag of popcorn, banana pudding.



City Information

MEETINGS FOR OCTOBER 5-9

Monday, October 5 at 7:30pm, **GREEN ACES MEETING**, at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road.

Monday, October 5 at 8:00pm, **CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION re: Advisory Planning Board Report #09-01** (Craftstar Homes – Revision to Detailed Site Plan Greenbelt Station South Core. Live on Verizon 21, Comcast 71 and streaming at greenbeltnmd.gov.

Tuesday, October 6 at 7:30pm, **CANDIDATES NIGHT** at Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD. Sponsored by Greenbelt Homes Inc.

Tuesday, October 6 at 7:00pm, **ARTS ADVISORY BOARD**, at the Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. Info: 240-542-2057.

Wednesday, October 7 at 7:30pm, **COUNTY COUNCIL MEMBER TURNER COMMUNITY MEETING re: Mathew Street Sewage Backup Issue** at Community Center, 15 Crescent Road.

Wednesday, October 7, at 7:30pm **ADVISORY PLANNING BOARD**, at the Greenbelt Community Center, Rm. 103. On the Agenda...Discussion of Stormwater Management Ordinance and Discussion of the City-wide Pedestrian and Bicycle Plan.

This schedule is subject to change. For confirmation that a meeting is being held call 301-474-8000 or contact the City Clerk at cmurray@greenbeltnmd.gov.

COMMUNITY PLAY DAY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11

1:00pm-8:00pm

Greenbelt Youth Center at 99 Centerway and Surrounding Areas

ENJOY A FREE DAY FULL OF FUN AND PHYSICAL FITNESS WITH YOUR FAMILY, FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS!

Events include: 3K Fun Run/Walk, Tennis Clinic, Kickball, Basketball, Beach Volleyball, Relay Races, Moon Bounce, Obstacle Course, Table Tennis, Horseshoes, Healthy Eating Workshop and Geo-Caching Treasure Hunt.

For info call the Recreation Department at 301-397-2200. Weather and Info Hotline is 301-474-0646.

Fallfest at Schrom Hills Park
Saturday, October 17th, 2pm-6pm

Make plans now to spend the day at beautiful Schrom Hills Park off of Hanover Parkway. Bring your family and enjoy hayrides, games, amusements, pumpkin patch, art activities and more. Entertainment provided by JUST US. Refreshments sold by community groups. This popular annual event is certainly one NOT TO MISS! Info: 301-397-2200.

SOLAR HOMES TOUR

The Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability (Green ACES) invites you to attend the 19th Annual Metro Washington DC Tour of Solar Homes and Buildings on Saturday, October 3 and Sunday October 4, 2009. Homes will be open from 11:00 am to 5 pm. Plan your tour and download your free passport here: http://www.solartour.org/about_us.html; or get one for \$5.00 at REI and other locations.

UPCOMING GREENBELT RECREATION TRIPS

These trips are open to any age adult.

APPLE HARVEST FESTIVAL Sa 10/10; 7:00am- 7:00pm Res: \$48, Non-Res: \$58
UNCLE CHICK’S LAST WISH: RAINBOW DINNER THEATER Th 10/22; 9:00am- 5:30pm Res: \$67, Non-Res: \$79
PA CHRISTMAS & GIFT SHOW Th 12/3; 8:30am- 6:00pm Res: \$30, Non-Res: \$42

The seats will be filled on a first come, first- served basis. If you have any questions, please call 301- 397- 2208.

GREENBELT MUNICIPAL ACCESS

Comcast 71, Verizon 21 and streaming www.greenbeltnmd.gov
Monday, October 5th at 8pm, City Council Work Session
Tuesday, October 6th at 4:00pm “Candidates Forum – GEAC” 7:30pm: “Candidates Forum – GHI” live **Wednesday-Friday, October 7-9: 4pm** “Candidates Forum – GHI” **6pm** “Ask the Expert” **3:30pm** Replay of Council Meeting of September 29 **6pm** “Ask the Expert” **7pm** “Candidates Forum-GEAC” **8:30pm** “Replay of Council Work Session”

VACANCIES ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Volunteer to serve on City Council Advisory Groups.

Vacancies exist on: Youth Advisory Committee, Senior Citizens Advisory Committee, Forest Preserve Advisory Board, Arts Advisory Board, Community Relations Advisory Board, Public Safety Advisory Committee. For more info call 301-474-8000.

Members of City Advisory Boards and Committees are eligible for half-price annual individual or family memberships at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Ctr.

City of Greenbelt

10th ANNUAL HEALTH/Wellness Fair
“Hop into Health”

Tuesday, October 13 from 10:00am-2:00pm

Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road

Flu and Pneumonia Shots, Hearing Screening, Bone Density, Ask the Doc, Blood Pressure, Sleep Center, Reflexology, Acupuncture, Curves, Breast Cancer Awareness, Pleasant Touch Day Spa, Vision Screening and more. Open to all!

SHREDDING DAY

Saturday October 10 from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon

The Greenbelt Federal Credit Union will be shredding your documents in the parking lot behind the Roosevelt Center at 112 Centerway. Only 5 boxes per person.

Personal records only (no business).

CITY ELECTION INFORMATION
REMINDER - VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE

The final day to register to vote in the Greenbelt City Council election is Monday, October 5, 2009.

If you need to change your address: If you are already registered to vote in Prince George’s County but have moved within the county, you may pick up a change-of-address form in the City Clerk’s Office in the Municipal Building to mail to the County Board of Elections. Or call the County Board of Elections at 301-430-8020.

If you live within the corporate boundaries of Greenbelt but are not registered to vote in Prince George’s County: you may obtain the registration form from the City Clerk’s office, the public library, the Prince George’s County Web site, or the County Board of Elections at 16201 Trade Zone Avenue in Upper Marlboro. All forms must be received by the County Board of Elections in Upper Marlboro no later than 4:30 p.m., Monday, October 5, 2009.

For additional information, call Cindy Murray, City Clerk at 301-474-8000 or send e-mail to cmurray@greenbeltnmd.gov.

DADDY DAUGHTER DANCE

Saturday, October 24, 6-8pm

Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road

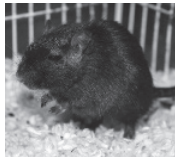
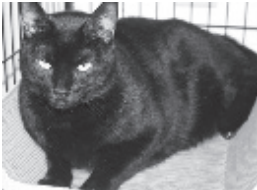
Dads and their Daughters grades K-8

\$25/Couple add \$10 for each additional daughter.

Get ready for an evening of elegance. Treat your daughter to an evening she won’t forget! Includes dinner, dancing, contests, door prizes and a 5x7 photo! Tickets now on sale at the Youth Center Business Office in the Youth Center, 99 Centerway. Mondays-Fridays from 9am-4:30pm. You may call 301-397-2200 to order by phone.

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Congratulations to: Baby Lauren, Baby Susie, Olivia, Dallas, Smokey, Buddy, Bones, Princess & Beautiful on their adoptions!



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Ike: Sweet black and white male cat.

Kittens: Adorable black male kittens. 11 weeks old. Very cute.
Batman: Big sweet and gentle black male cat.
Gerbils: Nice quiet pets.

Visit pets at the Greenbelt Animal Shelter on Wednesdays, from 4-7pm and on Saturdays from 9am-12pm.
For more information on any of these pets, call 301.474.6124.



Left to right: Bob Kleinberg (Virgil), Richard Davis (Carl), Barbara Ying (Grace), Matt Baker (Bo), Cassie Youhouse (Cherie), Bill Brekke (Will) and Ashley Jones (Elma).

A Review

“Bus Stop” Gears Up at GAC

by Eli Flam

“Bus Stop,” one of William Inge’s landmark plays, got off to a good start at the Greenbelt Arts Center last weekend. Performances continue weekends through October 17.

As Act I opens, a snowstorm has stranded four passengers and their long-distance bus driver at 1 a.m. in a rural Kansas diner. They’re greeted by the owner (Barbara Ying) and her young waitress (Ashley Jones); soon the sheriff (Bill Brekke) looks in. Cherie, “a chanteuse” (Cassie Youhouse) says she’s been strongarmed onto the bus by young cowboy Bo Decker (Matt Baker), who wants her to marry him and live on his ranch in Montana. An older ranch hand (Bob Kleinberg) is of mixed mind about these proceedings; the last passenger, a former college professor (Bill Jones), takes to the bottle as he reminisces and makes a play for the waitress; the bus driver sidles up to the owner.

By Act III – 5 a.m. on the wall clock of the well-lit, evoca-

tive set, complete with period magazines – veteran director Randy Barth’s comment in the program echoes: “A lot can happen in a single night.” Love is sought, battles fought, loneliness lurks. The professor’s final pronouncement resonates: “Yes, I’m terribly smart. Wouldn’t it be nice to be intelligent?”

The actors – most have acted at the Arts Center before – are up to the play’s challenges. Matt Baker and Cassie Youhouse lead the way as the star-crossed young couple; Bill Jones (who adapted and directed the recent “Othello” at GAC) readily conveys the prof’s philosophical bent, highlighted in a rousing “Romeo & Juliet” uptake. Malca Giblin coordinated matters as producer. “Bus Stop,” like Inge plays such as “Picnic” and “Come Back, Little Sheba,” was a hit on Broadway and as film.

Upcoming performances will be on this Friday and Saturday and October 10, 16 and 17 at 8 p.m. and on Sundays, October 4 and 11 at 2 p.m.

Art Walk to Be Held on October 15

Thursday evening, October 15 is the night of Greenbelt Art Walk 2009, the city’s third Art Walk. Three venues with art shows will be open from 6 to 9 p.m. The New Deal Café in Roosevelt Center will host a reception for its current exhibit, “Anything Goes,” a group show of a wide variety of work by artists in the Hyattsville Community Arts Alliance. During the reception the Greg Meyer Jazz Quartet will be performing, with Greg Meyer on sax and flute, Art McKinney on drums, Joe Rathbone on guitar and Ray Chu on bass.

The Greenbelt Arts Center,

just a few steps from the Café, will host a reception in its lobby with the artist for the exhibit of oil paintings by Charles Newcomb. At the Greenbelt Community Center two exhibits are on view: “Human Subjects: Paintings by Sasha Blanton” in the Gallery and the Greenbelt Museum’s Exhibit space “Sublime on a Dime” exhibit of historic fashion. The Art Walks are sponsored by Friends of New Deal Café Arts, with support from Prince George’s County, by the Greenbelt Arts Center and by the City of Greenbelt Department of Recreation and the Greenbelt Museum.

Voter Registration Ends on October 5

Monday, October 5 is the last day to register to vote in the upcoming November 3 election. All registration forms must be received in Upper Marlboro by that date.

In-person registration is available at the Board of Elections, 16201 Trade Zone Avenue, Suite 108, Upper Marlboro, MD 20774. Forms can be downloaded from www.goprincegeorgescounty.com.

Call 301-430-8020 for more information.

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St. George’s Church is sponsoring its annual Oktoberfest celebration on **October 17, 2009 at 6:00 pm.**
There will be food, live music, polka dancing, bingo, raffle, and a silent auction. Come join us for the food and the company. Advance ticket: \$25 ages 21 and over, and \$15 ages 11-20, kids 10 and under are free. Ticket prices at the door are \$30 and \$20.
St. George’s is located at 7010 Glenn Dale Road, Glenn Dale, MD 20769.
Please contact the Church for more information 301 262-3285.

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- Working for open, honest government
- Working for equitable distribution of city resources and services throughout Greenbelt
- Working to protect the remaining woodlands, wetlands, and open spaces in and around Greenbelt
- Providing the best recreational facilities possible for Greenbelt citizens of all ages
- Supporting efforts to increase senior services and housing in Greenbelt
- Supporting Greenbelt arts programs



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Police Blotter

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department, <http://www.greenbeltnmd.gov/police/index.htm>, link in left frame to "Weekly Report" or http://www.greenbeltnmd.gov/police/weekly_report.pdf. Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

Robberies

September 18, 4:29 p.m., 6900 block Hanover Parkway. A person was approached by someone who demanded money and then fled on foot with the victim's cellphone and iPod. The robber is described as a black male, 16 to 18 years old, 150 to 170 pounds with black hair, wearing a black jacket with white stripes on the sleeves, a dark shirt and dark pants, carrying a dark backpack.

September 20, 8:09 p.m., Beltway Plaza. A 23-year-old male with no fixed address was arrested and charged with robbery, first and second degree assault and disorderly conduct after assaulting a person and stealing the victim's Bluetooth headset. He was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

September 22, 10:32 p.m., 6200 block Springhill Court. A person was approached by three other people who displayed a handgun, demanded money then fled on foot with the victim's wallet. The three suspects are all described as black males, 18 to 20 years old, 5'11"-6'1", 130 to 140 pounds with black hair and brown eyes. One was wearing a white T-shirt, another a black sweatshirt and the third a black T-shirt.

DWI

September 20, 1:52 a.m., Greenbelt Road at Southway. A 24-year-old resident was arrested during a traffic stop and charged with various alcohol violations. He was released on citations pending trial.

Burglaries

September 18, 1:16 p.m., 7000 block Mathew Street, nothing was taken.

September 23, 3:50 p.m., 5900 block Cherrywood Terrace, game systems, computer monitor and cash were taken.

September 23, 7:23 p.m., 6000 block Springhill Drive, a com-

puter and monitor were taken.

September 24, 8:00 p.m., 9100 block Springhill Lane, laptop computers, several DVDs and printers were taken.

September 24, 8:18 p.m., 5900 block Cherrywood Terrace, several vinyl record albums were taken.

September 24, 8:42 p.m., 200 block Lastner Lane, laptops, a digital camera and MP3 players were taken.

Drug Arrest

September 23, 7:20 p.m., Unit block Southway. A resident male, 40 years old, was arrested, charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and released on a citation pending trial.

Vehicle Crimes

Four automobiles were stolen: 100 block Rosewood Drive, a burgundy 1992 Dodge Caravan with MD tags AAX16S; 6000 block Springhill Drive, a green Toyota Corolla with MD tags 4FEG32; 6100 block Springhill Terrace, a burgundy 1996 Dodge Caravan with DC temp tag K57967; 7800 block Cloister Place, a gold 1997 Saturn SL with MD tags DJG179.

Thefts from autos occurred in the following locations: 7200 Morrison Drive (backpack), 6100 block Breezewood Court (both MD tags 14W883), Springhill Court at Edmonston Road (GPS), Beltway Plaza (GPS and laptop), 7600 block Ora Glen Drive (GPS and DVD player), 7600 block Mandan Road (several books), 500 block Crescent Road (credit cards). There was an attempted theft from an auto in the 7300 block Wintergreen Court.

Vandalism occurred in the 6200 block Springhill Drive (vehicle scratched), and in 7800 block Walker Drive and 8000 block Mandan Road (a car window at each).

One stolen car was recovered; no arrests were made.

Arsonist Arrested in Greenbelt East Fire

On Saturday, September 26 there was an arson fire at a townhouse in the 6700 block of Village Park Drive in Greenbelt East. The Greenbelt police were called for a report of vandalism in progress and arrived to find the man still at the scene, having crashed his car into the garage door of a relative's three-story townhouse, then set fire to items in the garage with gasoline. Police found the house afire and arrested Robert Eugene Clendenen, 27, of no fixed address. He was charged with first and second degree arson, first and second degree malicious burning, four counts of reckless endangerment and two counts of malicious destruction of property. Clendenen was turned over to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Firefighters from West Lanham Hills, Greenbelt and other nearby fire companies responded and were able to bring the fire under control. No injuries were reported.

Editor's Note: This report was compiled from information supplied by the Greenbelt Police, photographer Jim Davis and the county fire department.



Firefighters are shown knocking down a Saturday, September 26 arson fire on Village Park Drive in Greenbelt East.



PHOTOS BY JIM DAVIS

The Department is offering a reward of up to \$500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of a suspect in any of the unsolved crimes reported in the blotter. People may anonymously report suspected drug activity by calling the Drug Tip Line at 301-507-6522.

Audubon Society Fall Bird Walks

Bird walks are set for Saturday, October 3 and the first Saturday of every month with the Prince George's Audubon Society at the Fran Uhler Natural Area. Meet at 7:30 a.m. at the end of Lemon Bridge Road just north of Bowie State University to see migrating and resident woodland field birds and waterfowl and with good chances also to see raptor flyovers at this forested floodplain of the Patuxent River. There is also an option to bird the nearby Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis (WB&A) trail. The walk is for beginners and experts. Waterproof footwear and binoculars are suggested.

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Furniture Lecture At Belair Mansion

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Happy 90th birthday to Dorothy Figlia of Eastway, who reached that milestone on September 20. Among family and friends here to celebrate the occasion were daughter Mary from Virginia Beach and son Chuck from Marietta, Ga.

Send us your reports of new babies, awards, honors, etc. to share with our readers. We'd especially like to hear more from our neighbors in Greenbelt East and Greenbelt West (Springhill Lake/Empirian Village). To send information for "Our Neighbors" email us at newsreview@greenbelt.com or leave a message at 301-474-6892.

— Kathleen McFarland

String Players Needed In Community Group

The Montgomery Symphony Orchestra, a community orchestra in Silver Spring, is looking for skilled musicians for the 2009-2010 season. There is a particular need for string players. Talented high school students are welcome.

There will be an open rehearsal on Monday, October 5 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at Montgomery Blair High School (Colesville Road at University Blvd., enter on Colesville Road).

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To pursue appointment to one of the academies, students, between the ages of 17 and 22, must be nominated. To begin the nomination process, students may obtain the application packet on-line on Hoyer’s website at hoyer.house.gov/services/academy.asp or by calling Betty Rogers in the Greenbelt Office at 301-474-0119.

Applications must be printed and mailed to Hoyer’s Greenbelt District Office and cannot be submitted online: Attn: Ms. Betty Rogers, 6500 Cherrywood Lane,

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Every year Hoyer nominates outstanding candidates from the 5th Congressional District for admission into one of four United States service academies: The U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y. (Army); the U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colo.; the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis; and the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy in Kings Point, N.Y. This year Hoyer nominated 38 students for consideration for the 2009 school year.

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Kelly Ivy

I am a proud citizen of our city. It is where I raised my four children. I seek this office to give another, different voice to our city. I am one that will listen, and make a strong decision. I have lived in this city for 43 years and want only the best for all of our citizens. My biggest qualification is my love and devotion to the City of Greenbelt.

Emmett Jordan

People who know me will tell you I have talked of serving on Council for several years. My decision to run was not sudden, yet it was not easily reached. I thought about my motivations and about others who are well qualified. I think that my professional and civic experience provide me with a unique set of qualifications that will help me to be an effective representative for all Greenbelters. Professionally, I have worked with non-profit organizations for 25 years. I have a deep humility about working for causes larger than my personal ambition. This is my first venture into politics. Being a councilmember will provide new opportunities to serve the public.

My civic qualifications include 5 years on the City’s Advisory Planning Board, serving as Treasurer of a Greenbriar condominium board, co-chairing the Greenbelt Community Foundation, being a V.P. in the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club, and managing Greenbelt Tennis Association activities. I know there are many ways to think about Greenbelt. Having lived here for 10 years, I know that civic involvement is an important legacy in the Greenbelt tradition.

I’m fortunate to have a wide overview of the neighborhoods in our city. This allows me to represent a broad cross section of viewpoints. As a resident of Greenbelt East and an African-American, I know it’s crucial to understand this rich variety of perspectives in order to keep our city a great place to live, work, and visit.

My degree and academic background in Urban Administration provides me with fiscal management and technical skills needed to make sound decisions for the city. I am level-headed and listen to what people have to say, even when I do not agree with them.

Overall, I believe I have the experience, skills, and temperament to be an effective Greenbelt councilmember.

Konrad Herling

I seek to build a more well-connected, inclusive community. A community that is inclusive in spirit, and in its practices. I want to work toward greater consistency of service for all sectors of Greenbelt, and ensure that access to services is balanced.

I seek to create a more effective transportation system, improve our schools, build a more sustainable environment, and a more resilient arts program, improve public safety, and create options for more affordable housing, including housing for seniors.

I seek to continue my work on transportation improvements for all citizens. It is critical that all citizens can get around to the key amenities: recreational, cultural, commercial, educational or medical, without having to rely on a personal vehicle.

I seek to improve our public

safety. I applaud the innovative efforts of our Greenbelt Police in addressing gang reduction and will advocate that funding be restored. I will work diligently to implement a program to welcome new residents. Neighborhoods where residents know each other better and work together are safer neighborhoods. Crime watch programs could partner with these efforts.

I seek to continue to create a more sustainable environment. Environmental concerns include: Greenbelt Lake, storm-water management, improving pedestrian and bicycle accessibility, reducing the environmental impact of the city’s fleet of vehicles, continuing to enhance our recycling programs, and exploring an environmental research zone.

I will continue to strongly support the efforts to build a new middle school.

Regarding my qualifications, what I promise I work to accomplish through tenacity and sustained efforts, with a 30-year track record of measurable achievements in planning, transportation, community relations and the arts.

My recent work on transportation planning and obtaining the Council of Government’s grant I consider an important contribution. I have successfully found creative cost-effective solutions to a variety of community problems through the

Rodney M. Roberts

I seek re-election because I believe in Greenbelt. I have benefited from, and continue to greatly appreciate the planning principles and ideals that our City was founded upon. Like many Greenbelters before me, I strongly believe that I have a responsibility to pass on the benefits of our “Garden City” to all the generations to come. I also believe that what makes me well suited to lead our City is that I see life through the eyes of an ordinary person. I have no visions of power or grandeur. As the owner of a small business for the past 10 years, and having survived a 50% reduction in business because of the current economic downturn, I know the importance and necessity of working hard and living within one’s means. I expect no less from our City Government.

Che Sayles

I am seeking this office because I have a degree in Political Science and I want to use my degree and government experience to make laws and policies that benefit the great city in which I live, the City of Greenbelt. I am well qualified to be on the Greenbelt City Council because I have worked at the federal, state, and local level of government. At the federal level, under President William Jefferson Clinton, as a legislative intern, I gained valuable experience attending congressional hearings on Capitol Hill tracking and reviewing federal legislation. At the federal level, I also worked as a contractor for the Department of Energy. For the Department of Energy my work was classified and I was awarded a Q-Clearance, which is above Top Secret. At the state level, I gained valuable experience as an Administrative Director for Maryland State Senator Paul Pinsky. My responsibilities included administrative work,

solving constituent concerns, and reviewing state and local legislation. And currently, at the local level, as a Community Outreach Coordinator, for the Department of Environmental Resources, my work responsibilities include managing an online complaint tracking system, community outreach, and other support services for the Department. All of these experiences have allowed me to work closely with elected officials and personnel from the highest levels of government. These experiences have also established within me the sense of community and collaboration.

Edward Putens

I have been in public service for all of my adult life. I have been a Council member for 28 years and a federal employee for 36. My seniority in office does not in itself justify my re-election, but I sincerely believe my accomplishments in office do. I am running in this election for the same reason as in previous years: I care about this city.

I also have specific reasons for wanting to serve during the upcoming two-year term. First, the City is in the midst of a major challenge over its at-large system for electing council members, and resolving this issue is critical to the City’s future. The changes adopted by the Council for this election reflect my personal opinion on how to resolve the issue – expanding the council from five to seven but not changing the elections to even years to coincide with state and federal elections. I want to see this issue through, as the City’s future depends on it. For the same reason, I intend through my campaign to encourage residents who have not previously voted in City elections to be part of the solution by voting this time.

Second, I place the highest priority, as always, on strengthening our public safety. My eventually successful proposal for surveillance cameras in higher-crime locations is working out. I have more ideas to offer.

Third, the City faces difficult financial times because of the impending reduction in property assessments that will lower its tax revenue. Experience counts in tough times. I want to keep faith with our City employees and to maintain our City services, our environmental leadership, and the Greenbelt heritage.

For many years my campaign slogan has been “Still Working for You.” I keep using it because it’s true.

Judith F. Davis

For me, the question is not why I seek this office, but why, after 16 years serving on the City Council, 12 of those as Mayor, I want to continue. I have accomplished much, performing constituent service, offering constructive suggestions, and working with other council members to actuate ideas and formulate policy. Greater challenges, however, lie ahead for our City. I believe I am well suited to help meet those challenges and turn them into opportunities.

I have long considered community service an important civic responsibility. Residing in Greenbelt for almost 35 years has given me countless opportunities to be an active volunteer, thereby increasing my awareness of and appreciation for Greenbelt’s core

values and diverse population. My willingness to listen coupled with my energy and enthusiasm have added to my experience.

My years on Council have honed my leadership skills. I have held many leadership positions within county, state, regional, and national governmental organizations. Networking with other leaders has enabled me to bring new ideas to Greenbelt. In turn, I take Greenbelt’s viewpoints and best practices beyond the borders of our City, ensuring that its voice is heard and respected. My greatest skill, I believe, is building consensus, looking at all sides of an issue to find common ground. Decisions that affect our entire city demand a solid Council majority. I actively reach out to all areas of our City by participating in a wide-range of community events and social gatherings. Informal meetings are excellent

places to hear concerns. Though I wasn’t raised in Greenbelt, I am proud to say wherever I go that Greenbelt is my hometown, a city known for its progressive, innovative programs and services. With your support, I will continue to dedicate my time, skills, and energy to making Greenbelt even greater.

Question Two

Expected development in Greenbelt West has been delayed due to the downturn in the national and local economies. Is it more important to revise covenants, agreements and approved development plans to accommodate developers under the present economic climate and add value to the city tax base with new construction or to hold fast on past efforts to achieve higher quality development for land close to Metro? Why?

Greenbelt Homes, Inc.
Hosts Forum for
**GREENBELT CITY COUNCIL
CANDIDATES**

When: Tuesday, October 6, 2009

Where: Municipal Building
25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt

Time: 7:30pm

The Forum will address current issues
facing Greenbelt and GHI members.
Bring questions to ask candidates
running for our City Council.

*Please come and meet the
2009 Candidates for City Council*

The forum will be cablecast live on Comcast Channel 71 and
Verizon Channel 21, video-streamed live from the City’s website,
replayed on the cable stations, and available on demand from the
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